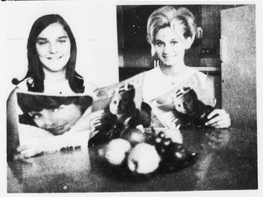

Ellen Doss (left) and Charlene Davis (right) are newly appointed correspondents for Co-ed Magazine, a publication for home economics students.

Named Co-Ed Correspondents

Ellen Doss, 14, and Charlene Davis, 18, have been named Co-ed correspondents for the 1969-70 school year, according to an announcement by Miss Margaret Hauser, editor of CO-ED magazine. CO-ED, published nationally by Scholastic Magazines, Inc. for home economics students, contains articles on fashion, food beauty and home furnishings and fashion.

Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Doss, Jr., is a freshman at Appomattox High School.

Charlene, daughter of Mr. an Mrs. T. J. Davis, of Concord Rt. 2, is a senior. They were appointed correspondents by Mrs. Madeline Thomas and Mrs. Lucy Green, home economics teachers.

Selected for qualities of leadership and enthusiasm for home economics, these students will serve as junior advisors to CO-ED editor, Like CO-ED correspondents throughout the United States and Candad, they will keep the editors informed of activities at their school.

Presentation of special Co-ed Correspondent certificates were made to Ellen and Charlene during the Future Homemakers of America meeting Thursday, November 20.

Ellen Doss is presently serving as reporter for the FHA. She is also publicity chairman and has helped with the Mother-Daughter Banquet committee, the Float committee and the Social committee. This is her second year in FHA work.

Her entries in homemaking competition have included an appearance in the Dress Review, six decorated cupcakes and two dresses, which won Fair awards.

She has assisted with flood relief, assisted with a tea for eighth graders and attended the Campbell - Appomattox Federation meeting, making posters. She recently attended an FHA workshop.

She has helped with FHA money - making projects including the FHA basketball game, selling vanilla and a bake sale.

Charlene has been a member of FHA for five years. This is her third year of classroom home economics studies.

She is serving as 3rd vice-president and is chairman of the bulletin board. She has served on the Welfare committee; helped with the Mother-Daughter banquet; program committee; and assisted with the FHA float and with activities for FHA week.

Her designs and assistance with a Five - County Fair booth helped bring home a first place award. She contributed to the recent flood relief program by the FHA, helped with the bake sale, sale of jackets, and has prepared three bulletin boards. She helped to fill Red Cross Ditty bags and assisted with a tea. She helped with the dress review at the Five-County Fair, played basketball at the FHA game, assisted with a party at an orphanage and helped with the FHA Sock Hop. She was one of the officers attending the FHA Workshop.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. K. E.Coleman will be among those in attendance Friday evening at Virginia Military Institute as the Class of 1971 stages the colorful ceremony of its Ring Figure dance. Cadet Ken Coleman, their son and Cadet Tommy Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lawson will take part in the ceremony.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Jones, of Fredericksburg, are the proud parents of a baby boy, Floyd Wilson, born November 24th. Mrs. Jones is the former Linda Jarrell, of Appomattox. She is the daughter of Mrs. Harry W. Jarrell and the late Mr. Jarrell.

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Thomas Richardson is a patient in the Lynchburg General Hospital.

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Mrs. G. F. Abbitt, Jr. has returned home after a two weeks vacation in Hawaii. Mrs. Abbitt visited Col. and Mrs. Edward Greene.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Vaughan and son, Bill, are spending Thanksgiving Day in Farmville with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Coleman and family.

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Miss Richardson Is Entertained

Mrs. Robert E. Torrence, Jr. of Blacksburg entertained Miss Jane Richardson with a linen shower Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Torrence's parents, Judge and Mrs. George F. Abbitt, Jr.

The marriage of Miss Richardson to Mr. Leonard Bruce Barnwell, of Greensboro, N.C., will take place December twenty-first in Liberty Baptist Church.

The color theme for the refreshment table was red and white. Among guests present for the party were Mrs. Thomas M. Richardson, mother of the bride elect, relatives and close friends of the honoree.

Abby Helene Paulette

Wedding Is Planned

Mrs. Nellie Paulette of Appomattox announces the engagement of her daughter, Abby Helene, to F. A. Elliott, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Elliott, of Appomattox. Miss Paulette is also the daughter of the late Ashby Paulette.

Miss Paulette is a senior at Appomattox High School.

Mr. Elliott is a graduate of Liberty High School. He attended Danville Technical Institute and served a tour of active duty with the U. S. Navy. He is presently employed by Babcock and Wilcox.

A summer wedding is planned.

Miss Chernault Will Attend VMI Ring Dance

Virginia Military Institute second classmen (juniors) will be in the spotlight next week end when the Class of 1971 stages the colorful ceremony of its Ring Figure Dance.

Some 200 members of the class will be receiving class rings in the traditional ceremony which is a high point in the social activity of VMI cadets. The annual Ring Figure dance takes place on Friday night of the Thanksgiving week end and features an elaborate ball figure which culminates with each cadet's receiving his VMI ring from his girl.

Among the second classmen taking part in the formal ring ceremony this year will be Cadet Wayne Wesley Hepler, Jr., of Merritt Island, Florida. Cadet Hepler will escort Miss Debra Chernault, of Appomatox, Va. Miss Chernault is a freshman at Madison College.

Eye Bank Film Wins Award

Richmond, Va. -- A film recently produced for the Old Dominion Eye Bank of Richmond received one of the top awards at the International Film and TV Festival in New York City, according to an announcement by R. Kenneth Hudgins, the eye bank's executive director.

Hudgins stated that the film, "Eyes That Live Again", was awarded the second-place silver medal at the festival in the category of public service films.

Through the co-operation of the Lions Clubs of Virginia which provide support for the eye bank, the film is available for showing

"Unfortunately," said Childress, "about half of these natural and prospective parents had to be refused help because the Society's facilities were filled and funds were simply inadequate to provide the necessary case-work services and boarding home care. The needs of the Society continue to grow each year because of the increasing number of babies who need care and placement."

The Society is a private agency, and therefore receives no support from public resources. "The continuation of our work," Childress explained, " depends entirely upon voluntary contributions which are, of course, tax deductible."

Each Christmas, the Society makes a special appeal for financial support from interested Virginians in the 68 non-United Givers Fund communities. This year, the Society is mailing a pair of red paper stockings to over 73,000 individuals and families across the State. As explained in a covering letter, one stocking is the Society's holiday greeting to the recipient and may be used as a decoration on his own Christmas tree.

Red Stocking Appeal Begins

A few weeks ago, a husband and wife walked softly into the brightly decorated nursery at the Richmond office of the Children's Home Society of Virginia. There, cooing happily in a crib, was a chubby, three-month old baby girl. The joy felt by this couple was evident as they looked down into the smiling face of the tiny baby who was to become their daughter by adoption.

Scenes such as this have occurred nearly 9000 times since the Children's Home Society of Virginia, first began bringing children and parents together through adoption almost 70 years ago. The private, non-sectarian agency, with headquarters in Richmond, now operates four branch offices in Roanoke, Arlington, Norfolk and Culpeper.

Through its professional staff of registered social workers, the Society offers statewide adoption services to natural and adoptive parents as well as boarding home care to infants pending placement in permanent homes.

Earl W. Childress, Jr., Executive Director of the Children's Home Society of Virginia, said that during the first nine months of 1969, the Society received 464 inquiries from natural parents desiring adoption for their children and 591 requests from couples wishing to become adoptive parents.

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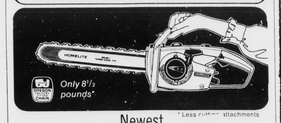

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Ruritans Present Awards

Mac Clarke (on left in the picture), Zona Gross Ruritan, initiated three new members: left to right in picture, Richard Lacks, Ben Harvey and Hope Davis.

Winners in the 4-H Feed Patch Contest are pictured here receiving their awards. From left to right are Richard W. Lacks, Extension Agent; Steve Carthage, Grade 4-H Club at Appomattox, 3rd place winner, \$5 prize; Mike Ranson, Lucky Clover 4-H Club, 2nd place winner, \$10 prize; Danny Hix, 6th Grade 4-H Club at Pamplin, and David Hix, 7th Grade 4-H Club at Pamplin, co-winners of 1st place, \$15 prize; and Travis Poole, Chairman of Conservation and Wildlife Committee.

The Oakville Ruritan Club had an interesting and busy meeting on Friday night, November 21. Three of the highlights of this meeting was initiation of new members, presentation of awards in a wildlife feed patch contest, and a very interesting program consisting of a set of slides taken during the August flood in Nelson County.

Santa Show Fri., Nov. 28

Pittman Plaza, "Wonderland of Christmas Shopping", in Lynchburg, suggests that readers mark their calendars for Mrs. Santa's Christmas Show, Friday, Nov. 28 at 10 a.m. for one show only.

A toy for Toys for Tots admits one, and the show features Miss Nancy and Mergatroyd, lovable lion puppet. Also, dance and baton routines by Carole Higgs Dance Studio and the appearance of Miss Virginia, Rosalind Lee Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Duncan, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Santa and her Santaland escorts will be there plus color cartoons for the youngsters.

Nursing Conference Scheduled Feb. 25

A National Nursing Conference on Post - Hospital Care of Coronary Patients will be held in Richmond on February 25-26, 1970, under the auspices of the American Heart Association Council on Cardiovascular Nursing and the Heart Disease and Stroke Control Program of the Public Health Service in cooperation with the Heart Association.

The conference is directed specifically to Public Health and Occupational Health Nurses, although nurses in other fields of nursing, including nurse instruction, are welcome.

A maximum of 500 nurses can be accommodated at the conference and there will be a registration fee of twenty dollars. Advance registration is required and early registration is suggested as the registration cut-off date is January 15.

Further information and registration forms can be obtained from Department of Medical Education, American Heart Association, 44 East 23rd St., New York, N. Y.

Fidelity Plans Affiliation

Lynchburg, Va. -- The boards of directors of Fidelity American Bankshares, Inc., a Lynchburg - based holding company, and of the Bank of Hampton Road, with headquarters in Newport News, have today approved plans for the affiliation of the Bank of Hampton Roads with Fidelity

Lyons Davidson, president of Albert C. Bartlett, Jr., Fidelity American, and Allen Riley, president of the Hampton Roads

MRS. RICHARD ERNEST GILLILAND, JR.
the Former Miss Pearl Catherine Ranson

Vows Exchanged

arriage of Miss Pearl Ranson, daughter of ames Frank Ranson, mpkin, Va., to Mr. Richd Ernest Gilliland, Jr., son Mrs. Richard Ernest Gilliland and Mr. Gilliland also of took place Saturday 4:00 o'clock in Rocky hurch in Pamplin.

Maurice Grissom and Winfred Elder officiated double ring ceremony. e of nuptial music was by the Rev. Maurice with Mrs. Winfred Elder

n marriage by her father rank Ranson of Pamplin, ss wore a traditional wn of peau de soie and lace, designed with a empire bodice of lace, ered in seed pearls, with a portrait neckline and ered sleeves. The conskirt was overlayed with panel of lace. A bias

length dress of aqua tissue faille, fashioned with a high turn over collar, long cuffed sleeves, and a softly gathered skirt. Self covered buttons trimmed the cuffs and the banded high rise waistline. She wore a matching Dior bown of velvet swirled in velling, and carried a bouquet of yellow spider mums.

The bridesmaid and only other attendant was Miss Debra Sue Gilliland of Pamplin, sister of the bridegroom. Her gown and headpiece was similar to that of the honor attendant.

Phillip Riddle of Lynchburg was best man. Ushers were James Frank Ranson, Jr. brother of the bride and Frank Roy Ranson, cousin of the bride, both of Pamplin.

Following the ceremony, the parents of the bride were hosts for a reception in the church fellowship hall.

The bride is a graduate of Appomattox High School and is presently employed with the Babcock & Wilcox Company. The groom is a graduate of Frank W. Cox, has served 4 years with the United States Navy, attended Central Virginia Community College and is presently employed with the Hanson Porcelain Co., Inc.

After a southern wedding trip, the couple will live in Lynchburg.

Visitor Tells Of Appalachia Family Project

Sorority members of Delta Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, had as their special guest Sunday evening, Mrs. Billy Graham, the former Audrey Evans, of Appomattox, who told of a sorority project of her chapter in South Windsor, Connecticut.

Mrs. Graham, a member of Beta Xi Chapter, said that the members were adopted a family of Appalachia, in Kentucky, near Bristol, Virginia. While here on a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Evans, Mrs. Graham and her sister, Miss Rose Evans, took the trip to the mountains, to take the family food and gifts. It took them almost as long to find the mountain home of the family after reaching the area as it did to go from Appomattox to Bristol, she said, and two tire blowouts on the way home caused further delay.

The family has ten children at the home plus others grown up and moved away. The husband, paralyzed, is unable to work, and Mrs. Graham is here with her daughter, Laura, eight months old. Her husband is assistant employment supervisor, Pratton — Whitney Division, United Aircraft Corporation. The Grahams make their home in Rockville, Connecticut.

The local sorority held a covered dish dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Noble. A surprise shower was given for Mrs. Brod Pack.

Sorority members of the Zeta chapter include the hostess, Janet Noble, Mary Bartelt, Joan Paulette, Connie McDearmon, Martha Stimpson, Betty Baxter, Wanda Simpson, Rafena George, Lib Thompson, Ev Cook, Cynthia Austin and Sheila Smith.

Bascomb H.Coleman, of Oralanda, Florida, and William E. Coleman, of Arlington, are visiting their brother, Frank Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Brockwell, of Richmond, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lewis.

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Luncheon guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lewis included: Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vaughan, of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Brockwell, of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Vaughan and son, Joe, of Lynchburg, Mr. John Lewis, of Roanoke, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vaughan and son, Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lewis and son, Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poole and son, Bob, and Bill and Nancy Lewis. Mrs. R. B. Gilbert was a visitor in this same home in the afternoon.

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Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Kruer of Arlington was recently week end guests of her mother, Mrs. Irvin C. Moses on Saturday. They visited some of the flooded areas in Nelson County.

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Mr. and Mrs. Spencer H. Garrette Jr. of Baltimore, Md. are expected to spend Thanksgiving with her mother Mrs. Irvin C. Moses, and other relatives.

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Friends of R. A. Glenn, former resident of Appomattox, will be interested to know of a change in his address. It is R. A. Glenn, Boston Post Road, Darien, Connecticut 06820. In a short note to the Times - Virginian he writes that "All is well here and I am fine and dandy. Say hello to all my friends."

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Mrs. Edwin S. Barron, of Arlington, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. G. L. Doss.

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Mrs. Robert Montgomery of Alexandria, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson. Mr. Montgomery will join her for the week end.

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Miss Dot Sears, of Petersburg, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays here with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Sears.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Holt spent Sunday in Petersburg where they visited his aunt, Mrs. T. F. Samuels.

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Thomas Edward Holland, of the U. S. Navy, stationed at Newport, New Hampshire, is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Holland. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Morris of Richmond, are spending the holidays in this same home.

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J. Lloyd Hudson spent several days this week with relatives in Clarksville.

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Mr. John Lewis, of Roanoke, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lewis.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. J. House, Jr. and son, M. J. III and Mrs. M. J. House spent Sunday at Clifford with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lamm.

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Faye H. LeGrand

Beautician At Vera Shop

Mrs. Faye Honeycutt LeGrand has accepted a position as beautician at Thelma's Beauty Shop, Vera. She will be taking appointments tomorrow (Friday) Nov. 28.

She was graduated from Ralph's Virginia School of Cosmetology this fall where she completed a course of 1500 clock hours. Her special training included hair coloring, bleaching and permanent waving.

She was selected to be a model for Roux, Inc. during the state convention in October.

She is presently a senior at Appomattox High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Honeycutt.

Evergreen Church Holds Coronation

Evergreen Baptist Church G. A.'s under the direction of Mrs. J. K. Hamilton, held a coronation service Sunday evening, WMU Associational superintendent Mrs. V. L. Hudson gave the devotional; G. A. counselor, Mrs. R. T. Smith gave an introduction before the presentation of awards for attaining the various steps leading to the highest G.A. standing, Queen Regent, Donna Paulette and Martha Ann Grishaw (in foreground) were crowned queens. Others in the ceremony include the crown bearers, (2nd row) Robin Paulette and Sheila Shorter. Behind them, Joann Warriner, candle lighter; Paula Franklin, princess; Shirley Kress, maiden; Verta Kress, beginner G. A.; Brenda Garrett, lady-in-waiting; Virginia Kress, maiden; Deborah Dixon, beginner G. A.; Cindy Guill, princess; Lynette Hudson, lady-in-waiting; Laura Shorter, beginner G. A.; Carolyn Grishaw, maiden; Hope Paulette, princess; and Wanda Dixon, candle lighter.

Mrs. Ferrell Addresses UDC

The United Daughters of the Confederacy held a regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Schyler Marshall Thursday evening, November 20 with 24 members present and one new member.

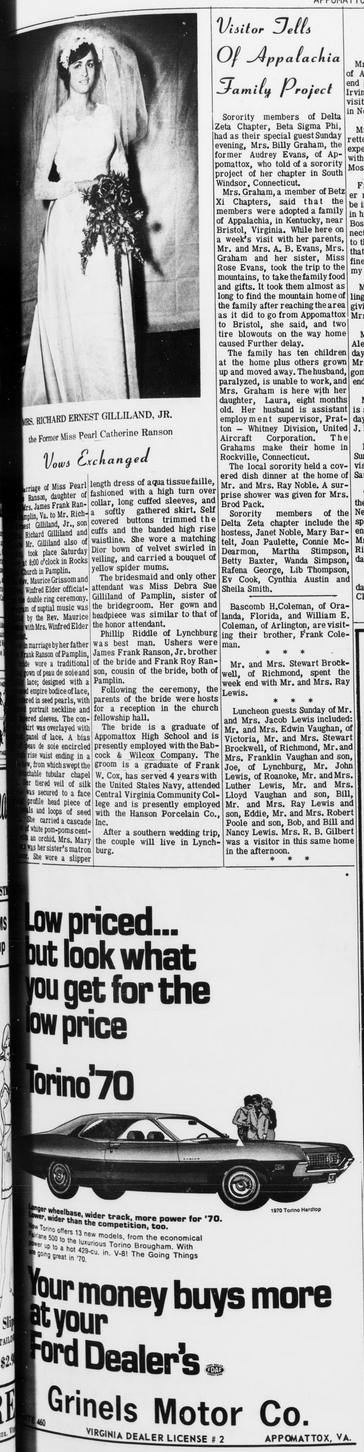
Mrs. Walter Ferrell gave a program on the state of Georgia and her contributions to the Confederacy recognizing the different periods in her history and the outstanding personalities of yesterday and today.

Mrs. Wiley Morris and Mrs. Nellie Schaubach played the piano and the group sang old songs including "Dixie" which was enjoyed by all with a standing tribute.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Marshall and her cohostesses, Mrs. Roby Lewis, Mrs. Catherine Dean, Mrs. Lena Eversole and Mrs. Hubert Caldwell.

Bill's Cabin Open To Public

Bill's Log Cabin, Route 631, two and one-half miles east of the town of Appomattox, will be open to the public on Sunday, December 7 and Sunday, December 14 from two p.m. to five p.m. Bill Conner.

Birthday Luncheon Held

A surprise birthday luncheon was given to Mrs. J. H. Cryer of Spout Spring by her sister, Mrs. H. L. Wilkerson. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Day, of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin of Colonial Heights, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin and Anne, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Reddy of Lynchburg, Mr. J. H. Cyrus and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ferguson and Diane of Spout Spring, Mrs. C. E. Wilkerson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilkerson of Oakville, Va.